## QUICK AS A FLASH

Is the Way a New York Boiler

MAKING AWFUL DESTRUCTION

Fire Persons Were Killed, Many Others Injured and Much Property

New Youn, Nov. 2-A boiler in the stables of the dry dock, East Broadway and the Battery Surface Railway company at Fourteenth street and Avenue H, exploded at 1 o'clock today and tore up the building, causing death and destruction. The section of the building in which the boiler was located collapsed. The boiler flew across the street and struck the double tenement, No. 534 East Fourtsenth street, just below the first story. The side of the building was crushed in. Three man were instantly killed and nearly a score were injured, several of whom have since died. The killed

are: Joseph Quinn, Samuel McMullen, Thomas Harren, John Gillespie and William Royal. The missing are: James Armstrong, the engineer, believed to be under the ruins, residence not known. The injured are: Charles Brestin, tractured skull; Patrick Sheehan, fractured skull; James Harlan, bruised; Michael Brennan, fractured arm; Michael Mc-Donald; fractured arm; George L. Mar-tine, shock; Thomas U.Neil, compound fracture of jaw; William Egan, skuil fractured; John Peters, leg broken; Aunie Gallagher, badly bruised; Myrtio Gallagher, bruised by flying debris; John Buble, badly bruised. Buble, badly bruised. The explosion came with the quick-ness of thought and probably no one will ever know its exact cause. Like a

shot the boiler was lifted out of the slable and flew across the street. It struck the tenement directly opposits with a shock that shock the whole block. Windows were smashed every-where in the vicinity. Screams from the scores of wounded rang out wildly. Women with children in their arms rushed in a frantic panic to the street and a cloud of dust and pieces of build-ing material shot high into the air. It was not until several minutes had gone by before anyone could realize what had bappened. Fireman John J. Henry was passing up the street a block. The shock lifted him from his feet. He turned and seeing what bad happened sent out an alarm. Before the engines came a second alarm was sounded and en came hurry calls for ambulances

Three Persons Killed Instantly. Mee struggling with wounds that in some cases were fatal ran through the some cases were latal ran through the atreets and dropped everywhere. There were three who never moved. Thomas Hassen, who was standing in front of a railing just across from the stables, a corner of the boiler struck him on the body and skull and sent him flying twenty feet in the hall. He never the atreet of flying times L A piece of flyn ber struck Picken on the head and he never moved from where he had fallen. Samuel McMullin was standing in the pounds struck him and killed him in-stantly. The two little Gailagher children, Annie and Michael, were playing in the street in front of their home. Fragments of brick struck them and they fell biseding from a dozen wounds, ground floor John Euhl has a liquor store, and on the west sale of the hallway John Peters has a little grocery.

Wrecked a Building. The end of the boiler struck the up per corner of the fiquer store. Euhl's bur was demolished. The lower section of the building was carried away and with it fell the whole front of the secfortunately not one of its members were in the house at the time. Ruhl was standing at the rear of his buc, away from the window when the crash came. A piece of timber struck him in the not seriously injured. Peters was also in his store at the time.

when a mass of brick struck him on the left leg, carrying away some of the flesh. At No. 530 there is a Chinese laundry. The windows here were crushed in and the interior was demolished. Next stoor William Dart has a barber shop. Dert was shaving a costomer at the time and was knocked down. The customer was street almost smothered with dust and lather. Two car borses stood in front of the door and were killed. The lone passenger in the car escaped uninjured.

Surgeons Kept Hasy. Fifteen minutes after the explosion a bundred firemen and a dozen ambulance surgeons were on the scene. The firemen found no flame to fight but the surgoons had their hands full. They went runhing around everywhere for the wounded were lying at all points. Three of the unfortunates did not need their siteation. The others had their wounds bound up and the ambulances took them away to the hospitals. The firemen went to work on the ruins like Trojana. men employed in the company's office and the men in the vicinity volunteered their ahi and soon the ruins of the stable were dotted with men. At first it was believed that the two men who can the engine Armstrong and Royal were in An hour later it was found that one of the inconscious men who were taken to Bellovoe with his head crushed was Royal. He died there a half hour after being laid in the ward.

Body of a Hostler Found. When first the work of clearing away the ruins began, the grouns that came from bearant them, said the rescuera that some one was there and if the men who succeed hard and well needed any atimulant, that was sufficient. After an hour had gone by a mass of broken lumber was carried away and the dead leady of a horse was dischard. A piece of rope was tied to it, and it was dragged into the street. The removal of the horse resulted in mother harmful. another hornbie discovery. Directly under the spot where the horse had bein the man found the mangled body of John Gillespie, a hostier, Gillespie's face was hardly recognizable. Sergmant Washington Mullin of the holles inspection barban says the explosion caused by an overpromum. Engineer Armstrong, it is said, was not licensed to run a boiler of the puttern that ex-

Convol in Diagrace, San Francisco, Nov. 2-Cot. J. \$1,100,000.

WHITE HOUSE GUARDED.

Extra Precautions Taken Against Cranks Assaulting Cleveland.

Washington, Nov. 2.—The crank epidemic which is succepting over the country has resulted in many changes in the rules observed at the White house regarding the admission of visitors. These precautions were not taken at the instance of Mr. Cleveland. As far as appearances go, the president has no personal fear whatever, but since Carter Harrison was shot down in his own home it has occurred to those directly responsible for the safety of the president that perhaps they were not doing deat that perhaps they were not doing their full duty. The force of watch-men at the White house has there-fore been increased, and now when fore been increased, and now when the president goes out he in attended at a short distance by a detective in citizen's clothing. Every stranger who visits the white house is closely scrutinized and no one is ad-mitted to the president until his busi-ness and his character are known. With precautions taken it is well nigh the chief magistrate in the executive mansion. A white house usher was asked if it would not be possible for some one to make an attempt to assassinate the president during one of his recoptions. The usher replied that any one having such a design would find it extremely difficult to reach Mr. Cleve-land. There are always plenty of officers

TRAMPS SEIZED A FREIGHT CAR. They Fied Before They Got Away With Any Plunder.

CLEVELAND, Ohio. Nov. 2—A dozen trampe boarded a special freight as it left the Lake Shore yards last midnight. They began to set the brakes, which re-tarded the speed of the train, and when the conductor and brakeman appeared they were seized and bound. The engineer, comprehending the situation, uncoupled his engine ran to a switch and back into the yards for help. A squad of officers were loaded on the engine and sent back to the train. On their approach the tramps fled. Several cars filled with valuable merchandise had been broken into, but the thieves were unable to make away with their

Had No Cholera Aboard. Had No Cholera Aboard.

Philadelphia, Nov. 2.—The British steamship Annie, from Poti, which was quarantined at Reedy island for a week, arrived here last evening after having been thoroughly fumigated. Captain Rose denies that cholera ever existed on board his ship. The report came from Malta, where the ship put is with one of the mea suffering from a slight attack of fever. The doctor there reported, through ignorance, the captain claims, to the United States consul that there were two cases of cholera on board.

Asphyxiated by Gas.

Torano, Ohio, Nov. 2 -- Isane Adelson, a Jew, whose home is in Detroit, was asphysiated at the Hanner house in this city last night by gas. He is be-lieved to have turned off the gas, but doubtless inadvertently turned it on again. Mr. Adelson had been soliciting trade for his daughter in-law, a dress maker. He evidently had piently of money, for he hast night gave one of his friends, A. J. Smith, a saloon keeper 8127 for safe keeping.

Big Blaze in Parker, Pa.

Panker, Pa., Nov. 2.—Fire started in Clinton Elder's billiard room at 10:20 last night, burning down the billiard room, postoflice, Mobley's furnishing store, Wilkins & Fullerton's millinery store, Cohen's building, Mrs. Ella Bor-land's photograph callery the Western land's photograph gallery, the Western nion telegraph office. Lewis' restaurant, Mrs. Pontius' building. Plair's station-ery store and Clark Wilson's variety store. The loss is estimated at \$25,000; insurance light.

Blew His Own Head Off.

Four Wayne, Ind., Nov. 2 - At 6 o'clock this morning the family of August Fenstel found him lying on the floor of his room in a pool of blood with a shot gun between his legs. His head, from the lower law up, was blown com pletely away and a portion of the skull was lying against the wall six feet away. The commor will hold an inquest to-

Ground Under Car Wheels.

La Salle, III., Nov. 2 - George Brown of Peru in getting out of the way of a west bound Rock Island freight train near Spring Valley this morning, was ground to pieces under the wheels of the east bound passenger train. The decrased was a prominent and presper-ous business man of Peru and leaves a

Railway Employee Strike.

Carno, Ill., Nov. 2-The engineers, firemen and yard switchmen of the Big Four railroad went on a strike at 2 der received last night that a heavy out would be made in wages to take effect yesterday. About fifty men are invoived and all traffic is suspended.

Confidential Clerk Missing.

CHICAGO, Nov. 2 Fred T. Posten, for several years cashier and confidential clock for the commission firm of McCoy & Underwood at the stock yards, disap peared last Saturday. It is alleged that took a sum of money estimated to be \$15,000 and that he was accompanied by a pretty woman.

Bank President Arraigned.

Mitwacure, Nov. 2. Frederick T. Day, president of the broken Plankinton bank, appeared in court this morning and pleaced not guilty to some new indictments found against him in ownec-

Two Companies Consolidated.

Dayron, Ohio, Nov. 2 A combinathe George B. Friend Paper company and the American Tablet works consolidated their interests. Five mile are thus united, and in times of activity will supply nearly 1,000 men. The new company has been incorporated under her of librois, with a capital of

STRUCK ON HIS HEAD

Hugh Garrity Thrown From a Ladder Truck,

KILLING HIM INSTANTLY

His Death Caused by the Truck Colliding With a Street Hallway Can. Another Fireman Hurt.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 2-Hook and adder truck No. 3 and electric car No. 314 collided at the corner of Woodward avenue and Montcalm street at 1:35 clock this afternoon. Ladderman Hugh Garrity, who was driving the truck, was thrown from his high seat, struck on his head on the asphalt pave-ment and was instantly killed. The heavy truck was tearing down Montealm street in answer to an alarm from box 431, and the car was going down grade at the usual rate at this point of twelve to fifteen miles an hour, when they met. The car was partly filled with passengers. The auddenness of the shock threw them from their seats, but no-

threw them from their seats, but no-body was injured. The car left the track, but escaped with slight damages. The truck was struck in the center on the left side and partly wrecked.

Hugh Garrity was a tall, heavy man of 25 years, living at No. 304 National avenue, and unmarried. He was ladder-man and assistant driver of No. 3. He had been in the department five years had been in the department five years and was known as a fearless, skillful man and universally popular.

His Head Was Crushed. Dr. Ben P. Brodie was called immediately, but the poor fellow was beyond human aid. His head was crushed into a shapeless mass, and his body badly bruised. Coroner Beatcher, who had bruised. Coroner Beatcher, who had been notified, arrived soon after the accident and ordered the body removed to Dick's mergue. One other ladderman was slightly bruised, but was up and at work five minutes afterward. The debris blocked car traffic for lifteen minutes, but was soon removed to Montcalm street, on both sides of the avenue, where the damaged vehicles were patched up. Bystanders who saw the accident, say neither side was to blame. Both driver and motorman were dong-Both driver and motorman were dong-ing their gongs, but the noise made by both vehicles drowned each from hear-

ing the other. The crash was a heavy one and the wonder is that more people were not injured or killed. PRICE OF TWO LIVES. Grand Trunk to Be Sued for Battle

Pour Hunon, Mich., Nov. 2.—The first, and probably two of the largest, suits for damages against the Chicago & Grand Trunk railrond on account of the recent collision at Battle Creek are soon to be commenced. Yesterday afternoon petitions were filed in the probate court by W. B. Clark of Sarnia, asking to be appointed administrator of the estates of Albert and Emily B. Bradley. W. B. Clark is a brother of Mrs. Bradley, and the petitions aver, respectively, that the the petitions aver, respectively, that the only estates in St. Clair county of the above parties are the rights of action against the C. & G. T. railroad to re-cover \$50,000 and \$25,000 on account of the loss of life of Mr. and Mrs. Bradley. The petitioner also names the heirs-at-The petitioner also names the heirs at-law as their children left by the Brad-leys, as follows: Jean Bradley, 4½ years, and William B. Badley, aged 3. Two damage suits, aggregating \$85,000, will therefore be started against the ruilroad company. Owing to the spe-cial statute in such cases the appointment of an administrator will not be made for about sixty days, as the cases involve a change of jurisdiction, and the petition is returnable to the dominion consul, who resides in New York city.

LAPE GOT A LIFE JOB. Murderer of Henry Lyvere Sentenced to Jackson.

St. Johns, Mich., Nov. 2-John J. Lape, the man who murdered Henry Lyvere near Ovid during a quarrel on the evening of August 6 last, pleaded guilty in the circuit court here yesterday to murder in the second degree, and was at once sentenced to imprisonment for life at Jackson, with hard labor.

This has released Mrs. Lyvere, who has been held in jail as an accomplice, as Lape experated her from all blame in the killing. The case looked black against her, as she conspired with the murderer to make the affair look like suicide, but their stories varied so widely that they were easily thrown into confusion when separated, and confessions secured. Lape and the woman claimed to be relatives, although gossip had it that they were paramours.

RAFT OF LOGS STOLEN. They Were Towed to Saginaw and Sold.

Bay Crry, Mich., Nov. 2-A good sized raft of logs was stolen a few nights ago from Hitchcock & Bailey's mill and taken to Saginaw, where a an agent of the owners, tried to dispose of them. Several mill owners re-fused to buy, but at last the fellow persunded F. B. Tyler, who supposed the man a bons frie agent, to make a small advance payment. The Bay City firm missed the logs and one of the members went to Saginaw and seized them. The raft scaled 200,000 feet, valped at \$15 per thousand. The Michigan Lumber company had out 10,000 feet. The police here think they know who the thief is.

Swede Attempted Suicida

Capitlac, Mich., Nov. 2 A young Swele by the name of Otto Olsen made a desperate attempt to commit suicide resterday, which will probably be suc-cessful. He cut a terrific gash in his throat with a razor, and to make death more certain also slashed his wrists. He lost a large quantity of blood before medical aid could be obtained, and there is now but very little hope that he will survive. He was a single man about 27 or 28 years old and had been working for Cummer & Diggies at one of their looks. lumber camps.

Davie' yacht, the Sultana, was burned thertiy after 10 o'clock last night. The fire caught from her betters as she iay at the fact of Mrilwagall avenue, and was beyond control when the department arrived. The Sultana cost \$10.000.

Church Property Barnet. Manuscana, Mich., Nov 2. Fire burn | hour this morning. Loss, \$15,000.

of the bare and partially the parsonage of the M. E. church of Marshall yester-day. Loss, 2001 Fire was communi-cated from a burning pile of rubbish in an adjoining lot.

Shoemaker Shot Himself.

Detroot, Mich., Nov. 2.—Gottlieb Stutzke, a shoemaker, arose at 5 o'clock this morning and fired a revolver bulled into the center of his forehead, killing himself instantly. Stutzke had been on a spree, and this is assigned as the only known reason for the suicide. He leaves a widow and six children, three boys and three giris. Coroner Brown will hold an inquest.

Heavy Weight Bride.

FREDERIC, Mich., Nov. 2.—Miss Maggie Morton, a girl of 14 years, weighing 220 pounds, has become a blushing bride. She is the youngest and at the same time the largest bride who has been led to the aitar in this part of the state for many a day. The happy groom was W. H. Wallace of this place. His wife exceeds his avoirdupous by about 112 pounds. Heavy Weight Bride.

Last Two Bodies Shipped. BATTLE CREEK, Mich., Nov. 2.—The two bodies left here in the vault have been shipped to Tilsonburg. Ont., as the remains of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Dorland. They were the only two unidentified, and the only two unaccounted for. So the friends have decided they are the bodies of the above named persons.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Nov. 2—The U. of M. republican club has installed George W. Fuller into the office of president E. W. Sims, 74 law, was elected vice-president. F. W. Newton of East Sagi-naw and James J. Shoridan of Grand Rapids were elected members of the ex-

Jackson Oddf-flow Dead. Jackson, Mich.; Nov. 2.—Albert Fos-ter died at his residence on North Jack-son street this morning aged 84 years. He was a pioneer of Jackson, and the oldest American Oddfellow in this county.

Guilty of a Heinous Crime. GAYLORO, Mich., Nov. 2 .- Avery Chapman, who, after his arrest for criminal assault upon his 13-year-old step-daughter, escaped from jail twice, has been found guilty.

Cooper, Falls Minee, Lenawee county, E. W. Bonsall, vice J. H. Moyle, resigned; Indian River, Cheboygan county, M. A. McHenry, vice F. E. Martin, removed.

BIG RAILWAY DEAL Ohio & Mississippi Consolidated With the Baltimore & Ohio.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 2—The articles of agreement of the consolidation of the Ohio & Mississippi with the Baltimore & Ohio Southeastern Railroad company were recorded in the secretary of state's office here today. By this agreement the Ohio & Mississippi railway becomes a part of the Baltimore & Ohio, the name of the new company to be the Baltimore & Ohio Southeastern be the Baltimore & Ohio Southeastern company, with principal offices located in New York city. The capital stock of the consolidated company is \$20,000,000; \$10,000,000 of which is common and \$20,000,000 preferred stock. There has been ordered issued by the company first consoli-dated gold mortguge boilds to the amount of \$36,000,000, bearing 4½ per cent-interest and \$18,750,000 first in bonds bearing 5 per cent interest. The directors of the consolidated company are: Edward R. Bacon, William L. Bull, Edward T. Wells, Edward E. Bell, W. Merters and John H. Davis, all of New York city; Frank W. Tracy of Springfield, Illinois; W. M. Peabody, Love Emerson, Fred H. Alms and Briggs S. Cunningham, all of Cincinnati; Julius Walsh of St. Louis; James H. Wilson of Wilmington, Delaware; John P. Hazeltine and Patrick Buchanan of London, England.

Edward R. Bacon of New York is president of the new company. Ex-President Tracy is slated for chairman of the executive board of the new cor-

poration and will probably be chosen. WILL SUE THE FAIR.

Ferris Wheel Owners Want Damages for Closing the Midway.

CHICAGO, Nov. 2-Now the exposition is threatened with a big suit for damages from the management of the Fer-ages from the management of the Fer-ris wheel. "That is our next step," said Manager Rice today. "We have de-cided not to ask for an injunction, but think we have good ground on which to bring a suit for damages." The great wheel turned as usual today, but the cars were empty and the ticket sellers were idle. The exposition authorities decided not to have any conflict of the Columbian guards with the Ferris men, but hit upon an easier and more effec-tive way to stop their business. They simply shut up the midway, fenced it in at all points and closed it tight. The argument of the Ferris wheel

people is that as the midway is part of the south park system the fair authori-ties have no right to close it against the people. On the other hand the exposition officials claim the right to do what they like a out closing the midway un-til it reverts to the control of the south park loard on January 1, 1894.

No Law Punishing Contractors Conspiring to Overcharge for Work.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 2 -- In a decision of the supreme court today in a case appealed from Vigo county, it is held that there is no law in Indiana to punish contractors who conspire to charge more than work is worth and agree to divide the profits thus preventing competition in bidding for work. The city of Terrs Haute ordered the construction of a sewer, and five con-tractors submitted bids for the work, the lowest bid being \$15,000. The city charged that the bid was submitted in pursuance of a conspiracy whereby the firm making the lowest bid was to divide \$5,000 among the other contractors in consideration of their bidding in excess of \$15,000. The lower court sus tained a motion to dismiss the indict-ment, and the decision was affirmed to-

Race Between Grain Vessels San Francisco, Nov. 2.—The British ships Sir Robert Ferine, Clan Mackenzie and City of Hankow, grain laden, have started on a race from this port around the Horn to Queenstewn. The stakes are \$300 and a suit of clothes.

Planing Mill Burned.

ZINSAVILLE Obio. Nov. 2. The immense planing will and lumber yard of the James Herdman Louds; company was entirely destroyed by tire at an

**REED WON HIS POINT** 

A Resolution to Frame a Tariff Bill During the Recess

KNOCKED OUT IN THE HOUSE

West Virginia Free Trader on a Demand for Fair Play.

Washington, Nov. 2.—In the house oday a resolution to adjourn tomorrow at 3 p. m. was reported by Mr. Catchings, from the committee on rules, and the previous question was joyfully and vociferously ordered. Mr. Henderson asked Mr. Catchings if there was any chance for the tariff being reported from the committee if the house re-mained in session. Mr. Catchings re-plied that there was not the slightest chance, when Mr. Henderson stated that that being so he was decidedly in favor of adjournment. The resolution to adof adjournment. The resolution to adjourn was adopted by a vote of 134 to 82 Air. Catchings reported back from the committee on rules the resolution authorizing the committee on ways and means to sit during the adjournment of congress for the preparation of a tariff measure and to report the same. This gave the house a foretaste of the tariff contest which is to come.

The previous question was ordered when the leader of the republicans, Mr. Reed, advancing down the sisle, said: "It was an extraordinary proposition that the committee on ways and means should sit during the interval between now and the reassembling of the house, and during that interval file its results and during that interval file its results and its reports with the clerk of the house. The committee on ways and means had been appointed for three months, yet there had not been a single meeting upon the tariff bill. It had never attended to the matter the least in the world. Hundreds of people had appeared before the ways and means committee, a knowledge of the occupation of each of whom was the work of a lifetime, and to ask the minority to record their views in the minority to record their views in three or four days, until enlightened upon the subject by an expression of public opinion or by those sources of in-formation which were immediately pre-sented when a bill was actually under sented when a bill was actually under consideration, seemed to him to be un-suitable, unwise and unreasonable. Therefore, he said, to bring in this reso-lution at the close of the session under the willp and spur of the report of a committee, that did not even have matters referred to it by the house, was something that certainly was not either suitable or proper.

Wilson Agreed With Reed.

Mr. Wilson said the gentleman from Maine was correct in saying that one of the objects sought to be accomplished by the adoption of the resolution was to give to the country as early as might be convenient, information as to the proposed tariff legislation of this congress. He agreed with the gentleman from Maine as to the magnitude of the work and believed it was the very greatest in-dictment against the system of tariff legislation that we had had in this country for the last thirty years, that the committee had had to deal with occupations, with trades and lines of industry, where a very large amount of minute technical knowledge might be necessary to deal with them as correctly as one

Reed Amendment Carried. Opponents to the resolution began to filibuster under the leadership of Mr. Reed, and calls for a quorum and motions to adjourn consumed the time until 7:30, when a quorum having been obtained, Mr. Reed offered an amendment to Mr. Wilson's resolution as follows: The chairman of the committee on ways and means shall have the right to call together the committee and to file with the clerk of the house any revenue bill which shall be ordered by the committee for publication, and the report of the committee, together with the views of the minority, shall be filed together for publication not less than ten days after the filing and publi-cation of the bill, unless an earlier date can be agreed upon. Either report may be filed after ten days if the other is not ready. This compromise was satisfactory to Mr. Wilson, and he signified his willingness to accept the amendment. The cause of the conte tion being thus removed, the republiquorum, and enough having answered to their names, the motion to dispense with further proceedings under the call was agreed to and the resolution of Mr. Wilson, as amended by Mr. Reed, was

Adjournment Resolution Tabled. Mr. Catchings thereupon moved to lay on the table his motion that the vote by which the house agreed to as-journ tomorrow at 3 o'clock should lie on the table; and it was so ordered. The conferees on the urgent deliciency bill reported a further disagreement to the senate amendment. The house insisted, and another conference was ordered The point at issue is the back pay of senatorial clorks. The appropriation bill for the world's fair prize winners exhibit in New York was passed, as was the two bills authorizing the construction of bridges in Texas and Arkansas. The house, at 850, adjourned until to morrow at noon.

CHINESE ACT PASSED. Senate Adopted House Bill Without

Any Amendments.

Washington, Nov. 2. In the senate today the house bill to extend the time for the extension of the Chinese exclusion act was taken up and Mr. Davis amendment for re-enacting the act of June 5, 1830, to execute certain stipulations of the treaty of May 6, 1882, and continuing such act in force for ten years longer. He thought it very un-fortunate to bring up a bell of such im-portance at this time because it could not result in free discussion or in full deliberation.

Mr. Gray, in charge of the bill, appealed for its passage in view of the exigency now upon the government. Mr. Squire withdraw his amendment so Mr. Squire with an action of the ball. All the other amendments were rejected, and the house tail was passed without amendment. The provisions of the bill are: Chinamen failing to regin ter within six months shall be dep as under the former act, except that the requirement of a white witness is inmoved. All proceedings for violations

of the Gency act as originally enacted aroust as to criminals, are suspended. The words "laborer" in the act is construed to mean skilled and unakille manual laborers, and the term "merchant" is defined as to mean a perso sugaged in buying and selling merchand dies at a fixed place of business carrie on under his name. It is provided that the certificate shall contain the photograph of the applicant, together with its name, local residence and occupation. The books joint resolution as to art cles in the world's Columbian exposition, allowing foreign exhibitors to an

The house joint resolution as to articles in the world's Colombian exposition, allowing foreign exhibitors to sell their goods at a retaste of 50 per cent of the duty, were reported back by Mr. Morrill from the finance committee with an amendment straking all except the section permitting the Columbian nursoun to accept any articles contributed by gift or purchase without paying customs duties. The joint resolution, as amended, was passed and a conference was asked. A house joint resolution donating a cannon for the Grand Army meeting at Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, in 1894 was passed. House hill providing \$175,000 for the construction of a steam recenus cutter for service on the great lakes was passed.

revenue cutter for service on the great lakes was passed.

House bill to increase by 250, the number of officers that may be assigned to colleges was reported back from the cogmittee on military affairs by Mr. Manderson, with an amendment providing that no officer shall so be detailed who has not had five years service in the army; also providing that each detail shall not extend for more than four years, and that officers on the retired just of the army may on their own and list of the army may, on their own ap-plication, be detailed for such duty and shall, when so detailed, receive the full pay of their rank. The amendment was agreed to and the bill as amended was

The house concurrent resolution for final adjournment tomorrow at 3 p. m. was referred to the committee on appro-

The senate then proceeded to executive business and at 5:45 adjourned until tomorrow at noon. DEMOCRATS AT LOGGERHEADS.

Virginia May Be Captured by Popu-

lists in Coming Election. RICHMOND, Va. Nov. 2 - Old politicians here concede that the fight this fall is between the democrats and populists only, with the advantage in favor of the latter. The only state issue involved is the repeal of the Anderson-McCormick election law and to do this the remulticans are enterpring the the republicans are supporting the populists. Governor, lieutenant-governor, attorney-general, one-half of the state senate and the entire house of delegates are to be chosen. The legislature will elect the remainder of the state officers, the five judges of the court of appeals, and a United States senator to succeed the late senator Barbour. The democrats are rent by internal dissen-sions, and utterly without enthusiasm in the campaign. The leaders are try-ing to divide the republicans, to get the negro vote, or, failing in that, to induce the negroes to stay at home. The democrat majority last year was 50,000, but experienced members of the purty say the populists have absorbed this margin, so that it is an even thing in the coming

OBJECTS OF THE A. P. A. The Society's Platform Sent to the

Congressmen. WASHINGTON, Nov. 2-Many co men today received a card from the American Protective association, setting forth its objects as follows:

1. The American Protective associa-tion is organized for the purpose of purifying politics. It is a non-sectarian and non-partisan organization composed only of true American citizens without

regard to nationality.

2 While we unite to protect our ountry and its free institutions, we uttack no man's religion so long as be dees not attempt to make it an element in

all tical power.

3. Our sim is to preserve and main tain the government of the United States and the principles of the declaration of independence, as set forth by the founders, against the encroachments of all foreign influences.

4. We regard all religio political or ganizations as the enemies of civil and

eligious liberties.

5. It is, in our opinion, unsafe, and unwise to appeint or elect to civil or military offices in this country men who owe supreme allegiance to any foreign king, potentale or ecclesiustical power, or who are sworn to obey such power. 6. We are in favor of maintaining one

e. We are in favor of maintaining one general, unsectarian, free school system, and will oppose all attempts to supplant it by any sectarian institution. We are opposed to the use of public funds for any sectarian purpose.

1. We are in favor of changing our

immigration laws in such a manner that they will protect our citizen la-borers from the influences of pauper and criminal labor, which through the in strumentality of European propagandist societies, are rapidly supplanting our free and educated American citizens in every line of industry; but we do not oppose honest and educated immigrants who come for the purpose of becoming American citizens, and who will forewear allegiance to all foreign potentates and

8. We are in favor of putting into office honest and true patriots, who are qualified and who own allegiance only to the stars and stripes.

WORLD'S PAIR FINANCES. Bills All Paid and a Balance

\$2,500,000 on Hand.

Ciffosco, Nov. 2-All world's fair obligations have been met, and there is a cosh balance on hand of \$2.000,000. Holders of stock amounting to \$5.000,000, who had looked upon even a small reture of their money as hopeless, will be paid 50 centeron the dollar. Accordto official figures the number of paid nissions was 21.500.461. Over 6.000, 000 were admitted on passes. Puris beat us on paid admissions by nearly 7,000,000, but Paris is not in it with us on total receipts, our figure of \$14,000,000 pearly doubling hers.

Chicago's New Mayor.

Cannaco, Nov. 2 - At a cauces of re-publican sidermen this afternoon isorge P Swift defeated M. B. Madden for the nomination to succeed the late Mayor Harrison. The republicans have entrol of the council, and this action is equivalent to an election.

The talk of conditions for mayor to The talk of conditates for mayor to fill out the term begun by ex-Mayor Harrison, was confined today to Col. George Davis, Alderman Swift and Madden for the republicans and Carter H. Harrison, Jr., Corgressman McCann and Lawyer Judd for the democrats.

World's Fair Attendance. Centato, Nov. 2. Paid admissions to the world's fair today were 8,542.

## PLEA OF A MURDERER

Prendergast Arraigned and Said He Was Not Guilty.

DAY OF TRIAL NOT YET FIXED

Slayer of Mayor Harrison Badly Frightened and Felt Relieved When Again Locked in His Cell.

Critcano, Nov. 2.—Patrick Eugene John Prendergast was acraigned before Judge Borton at 13 o'clock today, and Judge Horton at 11 o'clock today, and the trembling wretch, in tones that could scarcely be heard five feet away, pleaded not guilty. Railiffe and deputy sheriffs who had been distributed about the court room promptly quelled any excitement caused by the crowding for-ward of spectators, and the prisoner rallied from his purcays of fright suf-ticiently to inform the court that be ticiently to inform the court that be had no attorney, but expected mon to engage one. In another instant Prenacross the "bridge of sighs" and back into his little cell, where he persued a copy of the indictment retained against

Prendergast had been informed that he would be arraigned today and he awaited the summons with great ap-

At exactly 11 e'clock the door leading to the "bridge of sighs" that connects the old crissinal court building with the jail opened quickly and three men entered. One was Jailer Morris another Bailiff Kearney, and between the two was the man who murdered Mayor Harrison. The trio took positions before the court. Scores of people in the audience jumped up and crowded forward, "There's the thing that killed the mayor," cried one man,

yor!" cried one man.

"Kesp back! Srt down, or we will eject you!" shouted the balliffs.

Prendergast held his hat in his right hand and directed his eyes toward the floor, while he crossed his bands before him. His entire frame was in a quiver. His limbe fairly troubled. Jailer Morris said that the wretch clutched at his arm

Assassin Was Frightened.

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Before coming into the court room
Prendergast seized the jailer's arm and
said: "Keep near to me, Mr. Mouris."
"Is this Prendergast." asked the court.

At the sound of the judge's voice this
prisoner inclined his head upward,
rolled his eyes and parted his thin lips
as if to speak. Evidently he had planned
an outburst of ravings, but the presence
of the court and the crowd awed him.
He listened as if dazed while the clerk
read the finding of the grand jury. As
the clerk uttered the word "murder"
Prendergast turned an ashen hue, and Prendergast turned an ashen hue, and his dry lips parted still more. His resnis dry lips parted shit more. Its res-pirations came only with great difficulty and many whispered: "He'll faint before they get through with him."

"What is your plea. Patrick Eugene Prendergast?" asked the court. "Guilty

or not guilty?" "Not guilty!" came the reply so indis-tinct that the court was compelled to ask the embarrassed prisoner to re-"Have you an atterney to represent

your case?" the court asked.
"No, no. I have no atterney," answered Prendergnet, regaining a degree of composure, "Will you get one?" "I expect soon to engage an attor-ney," replied the assessin, and he mumbled a few unintelligible words.

Hurried Back to Jail. Jailer Morris turned the prisoner about and hurried him back to his cell. The excitement in the audience sub-The excitement in the audience sub-sided and the court exchanged some re-marks with two ladies who sat behind the bench. Soon the regular quiet of the court was resumed and the through disappeared. No definite time has yet been set by the state's attorney for the

trial of Prendergast.

Jailer Morris gave the prisoner a copof the indictinent and for a time the fellow sat studying the document. Some technicality evidently did not appear clear to him and he called Guard Wallace to explain it. Concluding his per neal of the indictment he produced is cigar and lighted it at a gasjet just with out his cell door. It required great of fort for the prisoner to appear calm. His apprehension could not be con-

cealed, even as he paced the narrow ceil.
"Oh, the indictment is all right,"
Prendergast said. "I expected to engage
Lawyer Trude to defend me, but I am very much disappointed at hearing that he is on the other side. I'll get a lawyer though. Don't ask see to talk to next paper men. I am much displeased with

WANT AMERICAN WARSHIPS.

Brazil Wants to Buy Three of the New

Naw Yoak, Nov. 2.—Negotiations are in active progress for the sequisition by the Brazilian government of the three new carships, Montgomery, Morbins and Marbichend, which were built for the United States navy. Two of these three vessels are still in the hands of the builders. The Machine is the only one of the three in commission. The Montgomery is at the yards of her builders, the Columbus Iron works, Baltimore, Maryland. The Machine is at the Brooklyn nevy yard. She has not yet been finally scoopted by the navy department, although she has just completed her trial. The Machine is at the foot of East Seventeenth street, East river, at the docks. trenth street, East river, at the 6 of her engine builders, the N. P. Pa Jr., company. The purchase of these ships could not well be interferred with by the United States many department. The builders contracted to build the craft within a stated period. In signing the contract, each firm was assured by the pary department of being accorded. payments equal to our tenth of the value of the ships. These one tenth payments were to be paid as such one-tenth part of the ship was completed.

Washington, Nov. 2.—The top-heary condition of the Detroit, the Markle-head and other proports of their class, is now the subject of considerable discussion in Washington. The estimate that it will take \$500,000 to repair the defect. is, however, regarded as a resemble. The brovy gims now on the beats will be available for arming larger craft when replaced by game of smaller calibre, on that the set loss to the government will not reach a large figure.